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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated February 28, 2006, applicant respectfully requests a one month extension in the period for response and a credit card authorization for this extension is attached. Please amend this application, as follows:

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